

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**Examining Group Number 3600**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| Applicant:       | Spero Payton                        | Examiner:       | Jamie Louise McGowan |
| Serial No.:      | 10/753,886                          | Group Art Unit: | 3671                 |
| Filed:           | January 7, 2004                     | Docket:         | P298.101.101         |
| <b>Due Date:</b> | <b>January 20, 2007</b>             |                 |                      |
| Title:           | MANUAL SNOWPLOW WITH A WOODEN BLADE |                 |                      |

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed November 20, 2006. With this Response, the claims have not been amended and remain as follows: